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## Town Officers.

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ROY H. SPAULDING, Town Clerk.

GEORGE F. PLUMMER, }  
WILLIAM BRETHRICK, } Selectmen.  
DANIEL C. HILL, }

ORA A. BROWN, Treasurer.

STEPHEN C. BAKER, Collector.

GEORGE B. STEVENS, Overseer of Poor.

MRS. LUCY A. DEARBORN, Librarian.

THOMAS E. CARR, Janitor of Town Hall.

THOMAS F. MARR, }  
GEORGE F. DOW, } Policemen.

ALBERT E. PORTER, }  
GEORGE E. SCRIBNER, } Auditors.  
JAMES F. HUCKINS, }

EARL P. HARRINGTON, }  
CHARLES L. GORDON, } Firewards.  
CHARLES S. WOODMAN, }

EDGAR W. SANBORN, Supt. Water Works.

LESTER G. FIFIELD, Supt. Fire Alarm.

ALONZO R. GAREY, }  
EDWARD P. WARNER, } Board of Health.  
ORA A. BROWN, }

HENRY W. BOYNTON, }  
JAMES F. HUCKINS, } Tree Wardens.  
JOHN H. MORRILL, }



## Selectmen's Report.

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### INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF ASHLAND, APRIL 1, 1902.

No. of Polls, 356,	\$35,600 00
“ Horses, 224,	14,332 00
“ Asses and Mules, 1,	20 00
“ Oxen, 12,	500 00
“ Cows, 213,	5,252 00
“ Neat stock, 48,	780 00
“ Sheep, 123,	354 00
“ Hogs, 1,	12 00
“ Fowls, 1550,	540 00
“ Carriages, 48,	1,510 00
Bank Stock,	4,115 00
Money at interest,	6,038 00
Stock in Trade,	44,500 00
Mills and Machinery,	115,100 00
Resident Real Estate,	363,179 00
Non-Resident Real Estate,	8,929 00
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Total Valuation,	\$600,761 00

### VALUATION BY DISTRICTS.

Dist. No. 1,	\$545,436 00
“ 2,	55,325 00
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Total Valuation by Districts,	\$600,761 00

## MONEY RAISED.

For town charges,	\$2,100 00
fire department,	325 00
memorial day,	50 00
town library,	100 00
support of poor,	100 00
Eastman nozzles,	120 00
state tax,	1,062 50
county tax,	1,260 00
highway tax, 1-4 per cent,	1,501 90
extra highway money,	300 00
school tax,	1,500 00
extra school tax, dist. No. 1,	1,200 00
lighting schoolhouse, dist. No. 1,	75 00
extra school tax, dist. No. 2,	175 00
vote of 1899, note and interest,	449 92
overlay,	494 38
Total amount raised,	—————\$10,813 70
Rate per cent. on \$100,	\$1 80

## SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

## RECEIVED.

Cash, Edward Horigan, billiard license.	\$10 00
L. B. Brooks, " "	20 00
Grafton Co., support of poor,	389 24
F. L. Hughes, from G. A. R. Post,	16 25
T. E. Carr, jan. town hall,	36 00
Hughes & Brown, for spikes,	2 40
Proceeds of play, "Nan, the Mascotte,"	46 80
H. Damon estate,	14 00



State treasurer, on acct., viz.,	
insurance tax,	3 75
railroad    “	101 29
savings bank tax,	577 23
literary fund,	123 00
tuitions, high schools,	58 17
American Book Co., overpaid,	1 54
F. D. Sanborn, rent shed,	36 00
J. F. Huckins,   “   Masonic hall,	50 00
Robert Deane, justice fine,	10 00
Maggie Lougee,   “   “	10 00
Town clerk, dog license,	131 75
A. E. Porter, sewer dividend,	70
E. G. Gammons, use of tomb,	3 00
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Total,	\$1641 12

### CURRENT EXPENSES.

Paid H. F. Elkins, 400 town reports,	50 00
Iver Johnson Co., police clubs,	3 00
E. C. Eastman, stationary,	2 54
Francis M. Hughes, ins. town hall	80 00
Ashland Elec. Lt. Co., light, 3 mos.	217 31
Plymouth Record, 500 dog licenses,	1 75
James L. Wilson, services, 1902,	25 00
“           “   prosecuting com-	
plaints,	10 00
H. F. Elkins, printing,	2 65
Geo. W. Bettis, copying inventory	
for commissioners,	4 00
A. F. Fifield, sundry accounts,	7 54

H. E. Dale, cleaning town clock,	12 00
Ashland Elec. Lt. Co., light 3 mos.	217 31
Geo. W. Bettis, stove for town hall,	5 00
W. F. Hardy, enumerating children,	10 00
Ashland Elec. Lt. Co., light 3 mos.	217 31
F. Fifield, tables for town hall,	10 00
" " election booths Nov. '02,	2 25
E. A. Chase, checklists,	9 00
T. J. Barnard & Co., binding rep'ts,	2 00
A. A. Heath, wood for library,	6 00
Nellie E. Plummer copying inv't'ry,	5 00
B. H. Brown, labor on wood,	2 50
Rev. J. E. Finan, reporting marriages, 6 years,	2 50
R. H. Spaulding, recording births, deaths, marriages and chil- dren's names,	13 60
" postage paid and stationery,	1 50
J. E. Morrison, oil for town clock,	75
A. R. Garey, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	3 25
E. M. Worthen, M. D. reporting births and deaths,	4 25
M. C. Spaulding M. D., reporting births and deaths,	1 00
Ashland Elec. Lt. Co. light 3 mos.	217 31
Hill & Hardy, ins. hose house,	40 00
Green Grove Cemetary, for lot,	5 00
Thompson & Sanborn, stove pipe and fittings, and sundry bills for repairs,	12 86
F. A. Kimball, water trough, '01-'02	4 00

Ora A. Brown, express and freight	
paid and postage stamps,	8 96
Brown & Huckins, disinfectants,	75
Hughes & Brown, supplies and hdw.	2 50
Geo. F. Plummer, Ex. paid and	
cash paid out, sundry bills,	6 49

Total, \$1,226 88

### WASHOUT AND COFFER DAM, JUNE 1902.

Paid R. C. Harriman, provisions,	\$4 50
John J. Harvey, labor,	16 33
James O. Clark and 4 men, labor,	75 00
J. J. McGuire, labor,	15 75
James Brogan, prov. and board. men,	37 00
S. J. Cotton, labor and teams,	167 70
Otto Willoughby, " " "	46 46
B. & M. R. R. " materials,	117 33
Kusumpe Lbr. Co., lumber and part	
cost, repairing center of dam,	122 68
H. H. Shepard, lumber,	50 23
Hughes & Brown, hardware and	
supplies,	40 18
Sullivan Bros., spikes,	3 00
Benj. Deane, teaming and piling,	69 94
Ora A. Brown, pay rolls,	197 36
" " " " "	25 88
" " " " "	6 05

Total, \$1007 44

To deduct from this total should be applied

Proceeds of play, "Nan, the Mascotte,"	46 80	
Spikes sold,	2 40	
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Net cost to town to date,		958 24

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

Paid G. F. Dow, supervisor,	\$11 00	
M. G. Tucker, "	11 00	
Geo. B. Stevens, "	10 00	
Earl P. Harrington, ballot clerk,	2 00	
Geo. H. Dearborn, " "	2 00	
Fred A. Carr, " "	2 00	
Geo B. Gordon, " "	2 00	
R. H. Spaulding, town clerk,	50 00	
J. E. Morrison, care of town clock,	25 00	
Geo. B. Stevens, overseer of poor,	50 00	
M. G. Tucker, truant officer,	50 00	
R. L. Howe, moderator,	4 00	
Mrs. L. A. Dearborn, librarian,	50 00	
A. R. Garey, Health officer,	10 00	
O. A. Brown, " "	5 00	
E. P. Warner, " "	5 00	
O. A. Brown, treasurer,	50 00	
S. C. Baker, collector,	100 00	
Geo. F. Plummer, selectman,	125 00	
Wm. Brethrick, "	50 00	
Daniel C. Hill, "	25 00	
Albert E. Porter, Auditor,	1 50	
James F. Huckins, "	1 50	
	<hr/>	\$642 00

## TUITIONS PAID AT HIGH SCHOOLS.

UNDER LAW OF 1901.

## Paid Plymouth High School for

Georgianna Belanger, 1 year,	\$36 00
Orville Bryant 1 "	36 00
Eva Crockett, 1 "	36 00
Alice Eastman, 1 "	36 00
Grace Lord, 1 "	36 00
Arthur Morrison, 1 "	36 00
Winnifred Nichols, 1 "	36 00
Lettie B. Harriman, 1-2 "	18 00

## Paid New Hampton Literary Institution for

Florence H. Blanchard, 1 year,	35 85
Elsie M. Evans, 1-2 "	16 35
Marian Pease, 1-2 term,	5 35
Bret Pease, 5-6 year,	28 60
Earl E. Smith, 1 term,	11 35
Erville J. Batchelder, 1-2 year,	18 00
Vivian A. George, 1-2 term,	7 00
Lester T. Calley, 1-2 "	6 00

## Paid N. H. Conference Seminary, Tilton, for

Ralph Hunt, 1 year	45 00
Arthur B. Fifield, 1 "	45 00
Annie J. Goss, 1 "	45 00
Charles W. Davis, 1-2 "	22 50
Arthur L. Harriman, 1 term,	15 00
Daniel J. Holland, 1-2 year,	22 50
Melville Sanborn, 1-2 "	22 50
Lettie Harriman, 1 2 "	22 50
Beatrice D. Peavy, 1-2 "	22 50

## Paid Colby Academy, New London,

Ruby J. Hersey, 1 1-3 years,	56 00
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Total, ————717 00

## SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

## DISTRICT NO. 1.

Paid Ora A. Brown, pur. agent, for school books and supplies and as shown by vouchers,	120 48
Brown & Huckins, supplies,	3 54
Hughes & Brown, “	38 68
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	14 70
John F. Swanney, supplies,	15 00
J. L. Hammett Co., Books,	12 48
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	\$204 88

## DISTRICT NO. 2.

Paid Brown & Huckins, supplies,	31
C. W. Cummings, “ and bills paid,	4 65
A. E. Porter, “	4 00
Leavenworth & Green, maps,	23 00
American Book Co., books,	1 54
B. F. Pease, books, supplies and bills paid,	14 51
Mrs. John Blanchard, services and bills paid,	4 55
Hughes & Brown, supplies,	4 79
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	57 35

## POLICE AND LOBBY ACCOUNT.

Paid T. F. Marr, keeping transients,	5 00
A. Morin, services, special,	2 00
J. W. Lowd, “ “	2 00

Geo. F. Dow, services, police,	38 00
T. F. Marr, " "	60 00
Stevens & Gammons, lobby supplies,	47

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## SUMMARY OF CURRENT EXPENSES.

Miscellaneous bills,	\$1226 88
School Supplies, dist. No. 1,	204 88
" " " " 2,	57 35
Police and lobby account,	107 47
Washout and coffer dam,	1007 44
Salaries town officers,	642 00
Tuitions at high schools,	717 00

Total, including tuitions,	\$3963 02
Appropriation,	2100 00
Appropriation exceeded,	1863 02

## TOWN POOR ACCOUNT,

Paid account death and burial Henry Damon.

E. M. Worthen, med. attendance,	7 00
D. C. Brown, care,	1 00
Stevens & Gammons, clothing,	60
C. H. Dow, digging grave,	2 00
Rev. F. D. George, services,	2 00
L. E. Taylor care,	1 50
E. G. Gammons, undertaker,	25 00

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T. Maltais, medicine,	1 55
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D. C. Hill, rent, J. S. Drew,	66 00	
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		106 65
Appropriation,		100 00
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Appropriation exceeded,		6 65

## TOWN LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	100 00
Paid Mrs. Lucy A. Dearborn, librarian,	100 00

## MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation,	50 00
Paid F. L. Hughes, Q. M., G. A. R. post,	50 00

The G A. R. post returned \$16.25 of this appropriation to the town on June 14th and are credited accordingly in the selectmen's received account.

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

## AND REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYORS.

Appropriation, 1-4 of 1 percent on valuation,	1501 90
Extra money voted,	300 00
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	1801 90
Bills from Feb. 15th to May 1st, 1902, paid by Selectmen,	
S. J. Cotton, labor and teams,	230 54
W. B. Smith, breaking roads,	5 00
S. J. Sanborn, " "	9 00



Hughes & Brown, drain pipe,	9 90
Thompson & Sanborn, drain pipe,	8 16

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On May 1st the town was divided into 7 districts and the following surveyors appointed:—

District No. 1, Willis H. Calley.

- “ “ 2, Fremont D. Eastman.
- “ “ 3, Frank H. Leavitt.
- “ “ 4, George W. Lambert.
- “ “ 5, Charles H. Sanborn.
- “ “ 6, Otto Willoughby.
- “ “ 7, William D. Bateman,

Below is Given report of expense in each district in detail:—

REPORT OF DIST. NO. 1, WILLIS H. CALLEY, SUR.

Paid Geo. O. Kelly, labor,	\$1 49
Frank Kelly, “	32
Frank Moore, “	1 49
C Cummings, “	3 10
M. J. Chase, “	4 04
W. M. Currier, “	4 85
W. H. Calley, “	8 65
“ “ “ “ and breaking roads,	20 00

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REPORT DIST. NO. 2, FREMONT D. EASTMAN, SUR.

J. H. Blanchard, labor and team,	25 76
W. D. Smith, “ “ “	18 50
F. D. Eastman, “ “ “	64 98

W. E. Leavitt, labor and team,	23 36
J. E. Benton,        "        "	7 62
Fred Wadleigh,     "     "     "	11 47
Moses Morse,        "        "	4 05
Owen Eastman,       "        "	6 75
F. W. Eastman,     "        "	5 74
spikes, bolts and plank,	2 61

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## REPORT DIST. NO. 3, FRANK H. LEAVITT, SUR.

Paid Frank H. Leavitt, labor and team,	15 20
Smith J. Sanborn, breaking roads,	6 60

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## REPORT DIST. NO. 4, GEO. W. LAMBERT, SUR.

Paid Geo. W. Lambert, labor and team,	26 42
S. M. Holmes,        "        "	1 22

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## REPORT DIST. NO. 5, CHARLES H. SANBORN, SUR.

Paid Charles Sanborn, labor and team,	21 58
Lewis Sanborn,       "     "     "	25 31
Geo. Campbell,       "        "	4 72
Walter Plaisted,     "        "	2 02
Bert Amsden,        "        "	1 08
John Amsden,        "        "	2 16
Alfred Tilton,       "     "     "	3 50

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## REPORT DIST. NO. 6, OTTO WILLOUGHBY, SUR.

Paid C. H. Dow, labor,	7 78
S. J. Cotton, " and team,	22 98
Robt. Harris, "	13 57
Ernest Clark, "	6 33
Hughes & Brown, supplies,	3 83
Thompson & Sanborn, "	80
Otto Willoughby, labor and team,	64 91
Frank Lougee "	68
Robert Deane, "	2 03
F. A. Carr, " " "	6 30
E. Boynton, "	6 40
Carl Boynton, "	4 05
J. I. Brown, " " "	8 58
M. G. Tucker "	1 95

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This is up to Nov, 18th, after which date the account is in report of dist. No. 7.

## REPORT OF DIST. NO. 7, WM. BATEMAN, SUR.

Paid J. Irving Brown, teams,	14 00
E. A. Stowell, lumber,	55 44
Levi Evans, labor,	22 15
Benj. Deane, teams,	59 17
Charles Wells, labor,	2 03
Earl Bickford, "	4 61
G. B. Peavey, teams.	28 00
Charles Dow, labor,	1 35
H. H. Shepard, lumber,	1 38
Frank Fifield labor,	9 33
Hughes & Brown, supplies,	20 74

M. G. Tucker, labor,	2 22
S. J. Cotton, " and team	3 50
Robert Deane, "	21 22
Wm. Lovejoy, "	96 43
Wm. Bateman, " " "	211 65
F. A. Carr, " " "	59 22
Joseph Guyett, "	2 01
Wm. Durham, "	1 41
A. F. Nichols, " " "	18 20
L. G. Fifield, repairs,	2 00
sundry accounts,	1 36

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## SUMMARY OF HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

Outstanding bills to May 1, 1902, paid by

Selectmen,	262 60
Paid Willis H. Calley, high. dist. No. 1,	43 94
Fremont Eastman, " No. 2,	170 84
Frank H. Leavitt, " No. 3,	21 80
Geo. W. Lambert, " No. 4,	27 64
Chas. H. Sanborn, " No. 5,	60 37
Otto Willoughby, " No. 6,	150 19
Wm. Bateman, " No. 7,	637 42

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Total for year, 1374 80

The \$300.00 extra money voted has been placed in the general account as investigation appeared to show the town officers were not warranted in applying it to any special piece of highway.

The results during the past year apparently justify the action of the town in voting to return to the district system.

## COST OF EDUCATION.

## DISTRICT No. 1.

School money required by law,	1361 86
Extra money voted at school meeting,	1200 00
Proportion of literary fund,	111 72
“ “ dog license.	116 17
For lighting schoolhouse,	75 00
To pay debt vote of 1899,	449 92
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Paid out as follows:—

Paid Ora A. Brown, treas. dist. No. 1,	2789 67
“ “ “ repair com.	75 00
Geo. D. Pebbles, note and int.,	449 92
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## DISTRICT No. 2.

School money required by law,	138 14
Extra money voted at school meeting,	175 00
Proportion of literary fund,	11 28
“ “ dog license,	15 58
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	340 00
Paid B. F. Pease, treas. dist. No. 2,	340 00

## COUNTY POOR AND DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Due from county Feb. 15, 1902,	87 55
Paid G. B. Stevens for county poor,	380 87
“ “ “ “ dependent soldiers,	20 90
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	489 32

Received from county during year,	389 24
Due from county Feb. 14, 1903,	100 08

### SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR.

To taxes as per list,	10,813 79	
names added by collector,	7 46	
interest charged,	5 95	
	<hr/>	10,827 20
By cash to town treasurer,	10,501 20	
discounts,	312 59	
abatements,	76 80	
cost tax bills,	2 40	
	<hr/>	10,892 99
Repaid collector to balance,		65 79
		10,827 20
Amount of discounts at 4 percent	257 56	
"                    "          3      "	16 23	
"                    "          2      "	38 80	
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### RECAPITULATION.

#### FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN;

Liabilities, Feb. 15, 1892,	34,042 10
Assets,	531 70
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Balance against town Feb. 15, 1902,	33,510 40
Liabilities Feb. 14, 1903,	34,373 55
Assets	482 55
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Balance against town Feb. 14, 1903,	33,891 00

Increase of debt during year,	380 60
Increase of debt aside from extension of water works system,	20 60

## RECEIPTS AND DISBURSMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 14

1903.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1902,	444 15
Insurance tax,	3 75
Railroad “	101 29
Savings bank tax,	577 23
Literary fund,	123 00
Tuitions, amount due from state,	58 17
Dog licenses,	131 75
Billiard licenses,	30 00
Grafton County pauper account,	389 24
O. W. Keyes Post, G. A. R.,	16 25
Janitor town hall,	36 00
Hughes & Brown, for spikes,	2 40
Ashland Dramatic club,	46 80
Estate Henry Damon,	14 00
American Book Co.,	1 54
Rent town shed,	36 00
“ Masonic hall,	50 00
“ tomb,	3 00
Sewer dividend,	70
Justice fines,	20 00
Superintendent water works,	1146 41
Collector of taxes	10501 20
On town notes,	2 72

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## DISBURSMENTS.

County tax	1260 00
State     "	1062 50
Memorial day,	50 00
Town library,	100 00
Current expenses,	3246 02
Fire department,	388 74
" alarm,	66 02
Tuitions paid,	717 00
Support of schools,	3204 75
Town poor,	106 65
County poor,	380 87
Dependent soldiers,	20 90
Highways, sidewalks and bridges,	1374 80
Collector taxes, overpaid,	65 79
Notes and interest,	1309 09
Excess receipts,	382 47
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	13735 60

During the year the balance against the town increased \$380.00, this amount is nearly covered by the cost of the water works extension made necessary by the laying out of Spring street, and in order to serve and protect the property recently built in that vicinity. Insurance on town hall and hose house has been renewed for three years at a cost of \$120.00. Almost \$960.00 was expended at Little Sqnab bridge and in building the pier dam at the time of the washout in June last. It is believed the danger which threatened the town at that time and during the past summer justified the work done and money spent to avert it. The town was at no expense



on account of epidemic diseases the past year. All the departments were run practically within their appropriations except the current expenses. The cost of tuitions was \$717.00 for the year, or about \$100.00 more than the estimate. Results thus far appear to show the highways can be run more economically under the district than under the town system.

GEORGE F. PLUMMER, } Selectmen  
WILLIAM BRETHRICK, } of  
DANIEL C. HILL, } Ashland.

## Report Superintendent of Water Works.

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Recd. B. & M. R. R., watering engines,	\$2 50
Kusumpe Lumber Co., pipe,	7 40
Asquam Tran. Co., use of pump,	3 00
R. H. Hart, castings,	8 37
Water rents,	1962 95

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### ACCOUNTED FOR AS FOLLOWS.

Paid Mrs. Jennie Bowen, rebate on water	
rent,	8 35
for 24 service boxes,	24 00
Ludlow Valve Co., hydrant packing,	1 20
New Hampton tax,	227 00
Thompson & Sanborn, labor and	
material, service boxes,	48 56
Ora A. Brown, treasurer,	229 70
" " " "	90 50
" " " "	204 90
" " " "	357 15
" " " "	124 50
E. A. Chase, printing 500 receipts,	3 00
Thompson & Sanborn, labor and	

material, service boxes,	36 35
Ora A. Brown, treasurer.	145 66
cost of extension from Cottage st.	364 35

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## COST OF EXTENSION FROM COTTAGE STREET.

Paid U. S. Pipe Co., pipe and fittings	180 81
Ludlow Valve Co., hydrant,	25 00
freight,	62
Benj. Deane, delivering pipe,	4 25
Ray Brown, shoveling,	6 00
— Peaslee, “	4 50
Louis Fortin, “	17 50
Fred Brooks, “	2 25
J. Peaslee, “	1 50
— Bilideau, “	14 50
Rodney Cheney, “	14 50
Palian Fortin, “	14 50
Charles Sanborn, labor,	3 00
“ “ stone and wood,	3 00
George Chamberlain, shoveling,	8 27
James Peavey, Jr., “	6 55
Ed. Black, “	6 00
Arthur Harriman, “	9 75
William Bateman teaming,	2 25
Frank Chick, sharpening,	70
E. W. Sanborn, labor,	36 00
Extension pipe cutter from Milford,	90
Stamps and cement,	1 00
Milford Supt., use of cutter,	1 00

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In making out the eighth annual report of the Ashland water works we find the water rents for the past year were \$35.97 less than the year previous, owing to the number of empty tenements.

At present the system is in good order and very little complaint in the quality of the water.

Thanking the water takers for their promptness and kindness to me in my first year in this capacity as superintendent, I remain,

yours,

E. W. SANBORN.

## Report of Overseer of Poor.

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Paid Mrs. E. G. Nichols, support Mrs.	
E. C. Clark,	\$18 00
Stevens & Gammons, groceries, G.	
W. Randall family,	14 48
Sam'l Blanchard, rent, Randall family,	3 64
G. A. Edson,           "       "       "	4 84
Hughes & Brown, clothing L. E. Day	
family,	2 00
Tom Biladeau, sawing wood,       "	75
Benj. Deane, wood, L. E. Day family,	6 00
C. Fugier, sawing wood, "       "	2 00
Sullivan Bros., clothing,       "       "	5 92
William Roby, rent,       "       "	12 00
Ahern Bros., milk,       "       "	2 20
Annie Parker, care Mrs. Day,	18 00
Stevens & Gammons, groc., Day family	20 77
Ahern Bros., milk, Mrs. Day and       "	2 25
B. & M. R. R., fare "       "       "       "	2 16
Wm. Roby, rent,       "       "       "       "	6 00
Annie Parker, care "       "	18 00
Stevens & Gammons, groc.       "       "	16 66
G. A. Edson, rent, G. W. Randall fam.	24 00

Stevens & Gammons, groc, Randall fam.	36 00
J. M. Cheney, attendance, Day fam.	14 00
A. E. Porter, medicine, " "	1 65
Hughes & Brown, mdse., " "	32
Mrs. J. Peavey, care Raymo child,	25 00
Mrs. E. G. Nichols, care Mrs. Clark,	60 00
Stevens & Gammons, groceries, Mrs. Preston,	19 13
Brown & Huckins, med. Mrs Preston,	2 10
J. M. Cheney, consultation, " "	3 00
Stevens & Gammons, groc. Randall fam.	14 50
G. A. Edson, rent, Randall fam..	16 00
Kusumpe Lbr Co., wood, Randall fam.	1 50
A. A. Heath, " " "	6 00
F. Lamond, " " "	2 00

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## PAID FOR SUPPORT DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Paid Mrs. Flora Heath, board, Leroy S. Heath,	18 00
Stevens & Gammons, goods, Leroy S. Heath,	2 90

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 20 90

GEO. B. STEVENS,  
Overseer of Poor.

## Janitor's Report.

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Recd. Good Templars,	3 00
Methodists and rehearsal,	3 50
show, (Ten Nights in a Bar Room),	5 00
ball, Brigham's Orchestra,	6 00
drama, rehearsal, Forced to the War,	6 00
Lucier's minstrels,	5 00
Masons,	4 00
Patrons of Husbandry,	3 00
show, R. J. Young's	7 00
Eastern Star,	4 50
Duffee's Jubilee,	3 00
Lucier's minstrels,	5 00
Ernest Workers,	6 50
Pythian Sisterhood,	3 00
Al Martz.	5 00
A. L. Davis,	3 00
Pierce & Hart,	19 00
I. O. O. F.,	3 00
R. Pattee,	3 00
Masons,	3 00
W. C. Trenion,	2 00
Hadfield Stock Co.,	6 00

A. L. Davis,	3 00
Baptists,	6 00
Bowen show,	5 00
Methodists,	6 00
Dance,	3 00
Beaupre, dancing school,	18 50
Baptists.	4 50
Rebekah's minstrels,	3 50
K. of P. drama, Lone Tree Mine,	9 00
German Medicine Co.,	31 65
ball, Brigham's orchestra,	6 00
Minnon's dance,	3 00
Herdman's show,	3 00

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Paid janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	1 25
“ “	1 00
“ “	1 00
“ “	1 00
for sawdust,	75
janitor, services,	1 00
“ “	1 00
electric lights,	1 27
toilet paper,	05
wax,	25
duster brush,	25
electric light globes,	44
janitor, service,	2 00
kerosene,	24
janitor, service,	2 00



janitor, service,	1 00
for two pails,	36
“ “ chairs,	75
electric lights,	4 60
sawing wood,	50
janitor, service,	2 00
“ “	3 00
electric lights,	2 33
janitor, service,	1 50
stove blacking,	25
board for electric lights,	1 00
janitor, service,	1 00
lamp chimneys,	66
electric lights,	2 40
cleaning hall after school,	1 00
janitor, service,	1 00
electric lights,	4 40
janitor, service,	2 25
“ “	1 00
for glass,	25
electric lights,	3 33
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	1 00
“ “	1 00
light globes,	44
janitor, service,	6 00
Geo. F. Plummer,	20 00
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	1 00
Geo. Plummer,	3 00
lights,	4 93
janitor, service,	1 00

janitor, service,	1 00
for toilet paper,	25
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	1 00
light globes,	44
kerosene,	12
two pails,	35
janitor, service,	2 00
Geo. F. Plummer,	10 00
electric lights,	5 13
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	2 00
sawdust,	75
janitor, service,	1 00
kerosene,	24
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	2 00
F. B. Dalton, wood,	4 00
sawing wood,	75
electric lights,	5 13
wax,	30
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	6 25
light globes,	44
“ “ and supplies,	1 02
electric lights,	4 13
A. A. Heath, wood,	5 00
sawing wood,	1 00
janitor, service,	1 75
light globes,	66
Geo. F. Plummer,	3 00
Diary,	35

pitcher,	25
tumblers,	07
kerosene,	30
frame to go in door,	75
glass,	20
broom,	30
janitor,	1 25
“	4 00
electric lights,	3 53
janitor,	10 00
wood,	12 00
sawing wood,	2 25
janitor,	2 00
wax and tumblers,	30
kerosene,	15
electric lights,	14 07
wax,	20
janitor, service,	1 00
“ “	1 00
Balance on hand,	3 02
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Total amount paid to town above expenses,	36 00
T. E. CARR,	
Janitor of Town Hall.	

## Report of Fire Department and Fire Alarm.

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Appropriation for new nozzles,	\$120 00
Paid S. Eastman Co., nozzles,	\$100 00
Bal. not expended,	20 00
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Appropriated for fire department,	325 00
Paid E. P. Harrington & help, trying hydrants,	8 00
J. G. Smith, removing snow and ice,	75
E. G. Nichols, services in full,	4 25
C. U. Fogg,       "       "       "	5 83
J. E. Morrison, pay roll H. & L. Co.,	42 25
J. G. Smith, pay roll Hose Co. No. 1,	90.50
F. A. Carr,       "       "       "       " No. 2,	117 26
E. P. Harrington, services, chief,	12 00
R. L. Howe, shovelling out hydrants,	7 90
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### FIRE ALARM ACCOUNT.

Paid A. F. Fifield, battery supplies,	13 00
L. G. Fifield, supt.,	53 02
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LESTER G. FIFIELD, Supt.

## COST OF FIRE PROTECTION.

Whole appropriation for fire purposes,	445 00	
Whole amount expended,	454 76	
Appropriation exceeded,	————	\$9 76

### TO THE SELECTMEN AND CITIZENS OF ASHLAND:—

In making this, our annual report, we have very little to say as we have had no fires to speak of. On April 19, at two o'clock in the afternoon, an alarm was pulled in from box 64 for a chimney fire in the house owned by Mrs. Locke and occupied by Zenas Henley, there was no damage and no water used. On the morning of June 8th box 43 called us out about four o'clock, not to a fire but more to alarm our people of the giving away of the dam at the Kusumpe Lumber company's mill. On Feb. 5th the boys were called, about 1.30 o'clock in the morning, from box 47 to a fire in the shoddy mill (so called), which was under good headway but by earnest work and the masterly manner in which the fire was handled, it was put out without very much damage. Again on Feb. 7th, at 4 a. m., we were called from box 43 to the shoddy mill, which had again broken out and was put out with a few pails of water.

Our apparatus is in the best of shape and always kept ready for use. The boys are ready to use it whenever called upon and "get onto their job" at once, which their record for the past eight years will show.

We have added two sets of the Eastman nozzles the past year which are a great addition to our apparatus, as they throw a solid stream of water, whereas the old kind sprayed it more, and one man or boy can hold this where it took three good men on the old one.

We have not yet seen or heard anything of our steam

gong for which \$500.00 was voted by the town three years ago, although we understand that arrangements are all made whereby it can be attached to the paper mills at no cost to the town except getting the and whistle putting it in place and we hope the citizens of the town will use their influence with the next board of selectmen and have the matter attended to at once, for it may be that your home will be the next to need the firemen and if they do not hear the alarm in the night and do not respond, do not blame the firemen but lay the responsibility where it belongs. The town has always gotten everything that the firemen have needed and we think it has been well rewarded for not a fire has got the better of us yet, all have been confined in the building in which it was discovered and our firemen hope it may continue so and that our town may always be as free from fires in the future as it has been in the past.

EARL P. HARRINGTON,	}	Fire Wards
C. L. GORDON,		
CHAS. S. WOODMAN,		

## Report of Treasurer.

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### RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1902,	444 15	
Recd. tax collector,	10,501 20	
supt. water works,	1,146 41	
state treasurer,	863 44	
town clerk, dog licenses.	131 75	
F. M. Hughes, police fines,	20 00	
W. F. Hardy, proceeds drama,	46 80	
Ruby L. Blanchard, on note,	2 72	
E. G. Gammons, use of tomb,	3 00	
Grafton County, pauper acct,	389 24	
selectmen, sundry accounts,	186 89	
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Total,		13,735 50

### DISBURSMENTS.

Paid county tax,	1260 00	
state tax,	1062 50	
on notes,	1309 09	
selectmen's orders,	9721 54	
cash in treasury,	382 47	
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Total,		13,735 60

ORA A. BROWN,  
Town Treasurer

# Report of Librarian.

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## RECEIPTS.

Recd. town treasurer,	\$100 00
finer and cards,	2 13
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## EXPENDITURES.

Paid DeWolfe, Fiske & Co.,	74 40
F. J. Barnard & Co.,	16 20
C. W. Sargent,	2 50
dictionary,	3 50
Fare to Boston,	3 00
E. A. Chase, printing,	2 50
blanks,	1 75
supplies,	54
freight and cartage,	84
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Due from town to balance,	3 10

During the past year there have been given out from the library 6468 volumes. 109 new volumes have been added besides a large number of public documents and pamphlets which have been sent from Washington, D. C.

There is a great interest manifested in regard to books by patrons of the library. There is great need of more shelf room, about which something should be done.

MRS. L. A. DEARBORN,

Librarian.



# Report of Board of Education.

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## DISTRICT NO. 1.

With the school year ending in June, 1902, we have had a school year consisting of 36 weeks. In a system of schools like this, after getting settled down to a steady course of study and line of work, not much appears each year for mention that is novel. So far we try only to give a complete fit for the high school as well as a strong course of study for those completing their education at home. One very gratifying element is the general disposition to seek the attainment that deserves promotion; likewise the more prevalent disposition to remain in school until the course of study is completed.

The new electric lights still leave us in need of a proper system of ventilation and a series of new floors in parts of the building. A program clock that shall give the correct time in each room and many other advantages is among the hoped-for improvements that may be expected in due course of time.

Quite an elaborate graduation was given in June last. That a grammar school class can satisfactorily render a scene from Shakespeare speaks well for the training our pupils are having.

The first grammar, taught by Miss Lulu M. Bryant, had 23 pupils; average attendance, 17. The second grammar, taught by Miss Augusta Tappen, had 31 pupils; average attendance, 17. The intermediate, taught by Miss Gladys Baker and Miss Valma Linscott, had 37 pupils; average attendance, 30. The first primary, taught by Miss Winifred Cochrane, had 40 pupils; average attendance, 29. The second primary, taught by Miss Alice P. Sargent, had 51 pupils; average attendance, 35.

A continuance of the same cordial support of the schools is hoped for in the future as well as appreciated in the past.

JOHN E. MORRISON, Pres.  
WILLIS F. HARDY, Sec.

## Report of School Board.

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### REPORT OF DISTRICT NO. 2, (PEASE SCHOOL,) FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 1, 1902;

Whole number of weeks during year, 22; First, or fall term, of 12 weeks commenced Sept. 12, ended Nov. 22; taught by Mary E. Pease. Whole number pupils registered, 12; average daily attendance, 10; wages per month, including board, \$30.

Second, or spring, term of 10 weeks commenced April 14, ended June 20; taught by Mary E. Pease. Whole number pupils registered 10; average daily attendance, 9; wages per month, including board, \$30.

B. F. PEASE, Member of School Board.

### REPORT OF DIST. NO. 2 (UNION SCHOOL).

Fall term, commencing Sept. 21 and ending Nov. 22, taught by Madge Pease. Whole number of weeks, 12; whole number of pupils, 18; average daily attendance, 9; wages of teacher, including board, \$7 per week.

The scholars improved very much under an excellent teacher.

GEO. W. LAMBERT, Ex-Committee.

Spring term taught by Miss Mary F. Smith. Whole number of pupils, 11. As I have forwarded the register

for use in making out the State report am unable to give average attendance.

I visited the school twice and was well pleased, it being a most quiet and orderly school, due I believe, not only to the teacher's efforts but to the good sense and natural goodness of the children. The progress in some studies was not quite what I would liked to have seen but I feel like putting the blame on the books in use, which, in my estimation, are unsuited to the school.

Wages of teacher, including board, \$6 per week.

MRS. JOHN H. BLANCHARD, Member of School Board.

DISTRICT NO. 2, (CALLEY SCHOOL);

First term, commenced September 9th, 1901, and ending November 25th, 1901, was taught by Rosie B. Smith, of Orford, N. H. Miss Smith was an extra good teacher, thinking a great deal of her pupils.

Whole number of pupils, 16; average daily attendance, 13.68; on roll of honor, 4; wages per month, including board, \$26.

Second term, taught by Sadie E. Gray, of Lakeport, N. H. Mrs. Gray is an experienced teacher and a good one in the school room.

Whole number pupils, 9; average daily attendance, 8.88. On roll of honor, 7; wages per month, including board, \$28. This term began April 27th, 1902, and ended June 13th, 1902.

C. W. CUMMINGS.

## Report of Auditors.

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We have carefully examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, town treasurer, collector, etc., and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALBERT E. PORTER,  
GEORGE E. SCRIBNER, } Auditors.  
JAMES F. HUCKINS, }

# Births registered in the Town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1902.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Living or		Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male	Female	No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc.							
Jan. 13	Louise M.	F		2	Chas. F. Follett	Sarah A. Wallace	w	Ashland	Sawyer	Meredith	Tamworth
" 17	Gladis	F		5	Wm. D. Darling	Nellie B. Knowles			Teamster	Campton	Haverhill, Mass
" 17		M		2	Wm. J. Mathews	Isabella Wilson			Engineer	Canada	Canada
" 21	Robert W.	M		2	James W. Moore	Ethel Wool			Book-keeper	Belfast, Ireland	Leeds, Eng.
Feb. 22	Stephen Carlton	M		1	Mack H. Bennett	Fannie Worthen.			Merchant	Holderness	Holderness
" 22	Elise H.	F		1	Curtis E. Baker	Lizzie C. Mitchell			Farmer	"	Kennebunk, Me.
Mar. 18	Winnie M.	F		7	Geo. W. Bryant	Ella M. Carr			Knitter	Meredith	Holderness
" 23	Herald Lewis	M		1	Joseph H. Taylor	Melvin E. Gignac			Spinner	Grosvendale, Ct.	Laconia
" 24	Leon W.	M		4	Reubin W. Durham	Millie Burlot			Teamster	Frankford, Me	Canada
Apr. 10	Inez A.	F		1	Fred W. Moore	Grace M. Lobdell			Operative	Ashland	Rogersville N Y
" 14	Oral Blanchard	M		6	Walter B. Clifford	Elmer J. Sweatt			Laborer	Hooksett	Plymouth
" 29	Philip A.	M		4	Henry Sawyer	Josephine Tautant			"	Canada	Canada
May 4		M		4	Ellis G. Gammons	Adella Ladd			Merchant	Methuen, Mass.	Holderness
" 7	Grace	F		4	Frank F. Small	Olive M. Goss			Operative	Holderness	Ashland
" 10		F		5	Leston E. Day	Mabel M. Boynton			Laborer	Bradford, Vt.	Fairlee, Vt.
July 4		M		5	John C. Hughes	Alice M. Boynton			Operative	Ashland	Center Harbor
" 10	Theda Hattie	F		1	Frank S. Huckins	Bessie J. Canny			Postmaster	Holderness	Sandwich
Aug. 4	Exzelia Mabel	F		1	Frank A. Jinkins	Grace Kittbridge			Farmer	West Derby, Vt.	New Port, Vt.
Sept. 5	Eleanor Elthe	F		3	Geo. E. Fortin	Jennie Vallier			Carder	Manchester	Ashland
" 7	Gerald	F		4	Thomas F. Marr	Delia M. Baker			Op's r. sp'g	Bethel, Vt.	"
" 15	John	M		7	Geo. Gingrass	Mary A. Gignac			Machinist	St. Paul, Can.	Canada
" 15	John	M		6	Theo. Ganache	Mary Bowdoin			Operative	Canada	"
Oct. 5	Carl Edwin	M		1	Ray C. Harriman	Adelaide Barnaby			Baker	Haverhill	Cornwallis, N. B
" 23	Frank Abner	M		14	Theo. Jacques	Mary M. Guyett			Spinner	Canada	Canada
Nov. 3	Howard A.	M		4	Chas. L. Small	Susie M. Drake			Operative	Lakeport	New Hampton
" 13		M		3	Thomas Gannon	Jennie Chase			Spinner	New York City	Holderness
Dec. 22	Mabel	F		3	Leon Hammell	Annie Vallier			Farmer	Northfield, Vt.	Sherbrook, Can.
" 24		M		1	Walter S. Brown	Hattie Numan			Weaver	Campton	Fugland

# Marriages registered in the Town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1902.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation	Place of birth	Names of Parents.	Occupation	1st or 2nd marriage	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Feb. 10	Plymouth	Orlando H. Richards	Ashland	24	w	Barber	Lyndonville, Maine	Wm. L. Richards		1	Wm. P. Bartlett
		Edna M. Crowley	"	24		Operative	Ashland	Elmina J. Richards		2	
Mar. 26	Ashland	Ernest H. Smith	"	26		Carpenter	Center Harbor	Georgia Long		1	Francis D. George
		Bertha M. Lobdell	"	21		Operative	Saranac, N. Y.	Ira A. Smith	Mason Housewife Fireman	1	Clergyman Ashland
" 30	Ashland	Howard B. Thomps'n	"	21		Plumber	Contoocook	Emma E. Nudd	Housewife	1	Francis D. George
		Emily F. S. Cotton	"	19		Domestic	Providence, R. I.	Mattie L. Hooper	Dead	1	
May 21	Ashland	George H. Simpson	"	30		Mechanic	Orna, Maine	Jessie Ketchum	Dressmaker	1	
		Anna E. Applebee	"	24		Dressmaker	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Daniel M. Cotton	Carpenter	1	
June 4	Ashland	Fred E. Currier	"	28		Operative	Ashland	Ellen A. Morse	Domestic	1	E. C. E. Dorian
		Mabel M. Sargent	"	24		Housekeeper	"	Robert Simpson	Millwright	1	Clergyman Franklin Falls
								Margaret Stewart	Dead	1	
								J. M. Applebee	"	1	
								Ella Smith	Retired Housewife Farmer	1	Francis D. George
								Edwin B. Currier	Housewife	1	
								Mary A. Smith	Farmer	1	
								Geo. Sargent	Housewife	1	
								Ella Evans		1	

June 19	Ashland	Charles Drew	Ashland	25	W Farmer	Loudon Ridge	Henry Drew	Blacksmith	1	Alvah E. Draper Clergyman Ashland
		Edith Morse	"	20	Operative	Runney	Carrie Peaslee	Dead	1	
Aug. 6	Meredith	Harry S. Huckins	"	31	Book-keeper	Ashland	Alma Clifford	Housekeeper	1	Justus Erskins Clergyman Meredith
		Mina A. Worthen	Holder-	24	Housekeeper	Holderness	Mary S. Smith	Housewife	1	
"	24	Thos. F. Eastman	ness	22	Civil Engin'r	Chicago, Ill.	W. B. Worthen	Farmer	1	J. F. Babb Clergyman Laconia
		Margaret L. Preston	New	21	Student	New	Stephen Eastman	Dead	1	
"	23	John B. Jewett	Hampton	23	Spinner	Belmont	Ella Plaisted	School Prin.	1	
Sept 21	Ashland	Lizzie L. Calef	Ashland	20	Operative	W. Concord	Addie Hubbard	Housekeeper	1	Francis D. George
		Fred Normand	"	24	"	Canada	Samuel M. Jewett	Farmer	1	
		Elinore Bildeau	"	30	"	"	Ellen B. Blaisdell	Dead	1	John E. Finan R. C. Priest Tilton
Oct. 13	Ashland	Louis H. Felch	"	27	"	Sandwich	Annie Rousseau	Housewife	1	Alvah E. Draper
		Bessie J. Smith	Peabody,	20	"	Scotland	George L. Felch		1	
Nov. 24	Ashland	Irving M. Cottrell	Mass.	38	Submarine	Belfast, Me.	Alma A. Fifield	Dead	2	Francis D. George
		Mary Morse	Laconia	37	Diver	Runney	Joseph Smith	Housewife	1	
			Ashland		Dressmaker		Wallace	Dead		
							Jacob Y. Cottrell	Dead		
							Hannah Jones	Dead		
							Stephen E. Morse	Housewife		
							Alma C. Clifford	Housewife		

# Deaths registered in the Town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1902.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Marital Status	Occupation	Name of Father	Mother
Jan. 16	Sarah A. Cadley	74	Holderness	F	W	W	Housewife	Samuel Wright	Mary A. Webster
" 20	Deborah H. Coates	60	Holderness	F	W	W	"	William Spiller	Judith Coates
" 21	Abel T. Logan	6	Ashland	M	W	W	"	William Logan	Christie St. Jacques
Feb. 6	Mary A. Drake	75	New Hampton	F	W	W	"	Dora Dow	Madeline Gordon
" 10	John E. Gagnon	41	"	M	W	W	Barber	Edward Gagnon	Leatrice Normande
Mar. 8	William M. Logan	70	"	M	W	W	"	William Logan	Christie St. Jacques
Apr. 27	Rhonda D. Deaton	73	Ware	F	W	W	Printer	Carly Deaton	Mary A. Tenney
" 8	Joseph R. Locke	45	Belvidere, Vt.	M	W	W	Farmer	Stephen P. Locke	Marion Tidball
May 21	Edna Ellen Smyth	76	Holderness	F	W	W	S. Mission (ret.)	Richard Shepard	Rebeca Hall
" 31	Charles Merrill	53	"	M	W	W	Glove Maker	Horatio M. Smythe	"
June 8	David P. Cadley	72	Hopkinton	M	W	W	"	John M. Cadley	Polly Jackson
" 10	Gardner P. Rogers	54	Holderness	M	W	W	Upshotter	Charles Rogers	Mary Shepard
" 10	Fessie L. Chaffey	73	"	F	W	W	Housewife	Edwin M. Chaffey	Gordon
Aug. 6	Mary E. Fletcher	65	Liberty, Me.	F	W	W	"	Isaac Bonney	St. Elie Rock
" 17	Henry Damon	36	Poland, Me.	M	W	W	Shoemaker	"	"
Oct. 2	Asa Drew	96	Holderness	M	W	W	"	James Drew	Robt. Wallace
" 10	John B. St. Jacques	67	St. Hyacinthe	M	W	W	"	Peter St. Jacques	"
Nov. 8	Clara M. Holderness	54	Weymouth	F	W	W	Housewife	Jonathan French	Sarah F. Merrill
" 25	Samuel C. Shepard	82	Holderness	M	W	W	Millwright	Thomas Shepard	Mary Cook
Dec. 6	Stephen Clough	70	"	M	W	W	Farmer	Stephen Clough	Helen St. Leonard
" 11	Harriet R. Grechell	79	"	F	W	W	Housewife	Samuel Clough	Sarah Mann
" 20	Charles Leslie Drake	77	Topsham, Me.	M	W	W	"	Marion C. Drake	Jessie Woodman
" 24	Infant	11	Ashland	F	W	W	"	Walter S. Brown	Hattie Newman

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROY H. SPAULDING, Town Clerk.



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